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Box PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 225/49631

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Rainer AUTENRIETH and Dr. Gerhard KONRAD

entitled: **APPARATUS FOR RECOVERING WATER FOR AN ELECTRICAL/FUEL CELL SYSTEM**

Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 11 claims (pages 1-11, plus specification cover sheet).
2. 1 Sheet of drawings showing a sole figure.
3. X Declaration and Power of Attorney (**unexecuted-2 pages**).
4. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Document 100 07 244.5, filed in Germany on 17 February 2000.
5. X Information Disclosure Statement.
6. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee					\$355/710 =	\$710.00
Total Claims	<u>11</u>	- 20	=	<u>0</u>	x \$9/18 =	\$
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	- 3	=	<u>0</u>	x \$40/80 =	\$
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented					\$135/270 =	\$
Total Filing Fee						<u>\$710.00</u>

The filing fee is being deferred at this time.

Respectfully submitted,


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